

Physician

Job Announcement

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Organization Description

The Tennessee Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services is charge with planning for and promote a comprehensive array of quality prevention and early intervention, treatment, habilitation, and recovery support services for Tennesseans with mental illness and substance abuse issues. TDMHSAS contracts with mental health and substance abuse community providers across the state and operate four Regional Mental Health Institutes to offer services to Tennesseans. The Department manages a budget of more the \$380 million, with funding from dedicated fees, revenue, federal grants and state general fund appropriations.

Summary of Position

The Tennessee Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services in Nashville, Tennessee is seeking a physician to advise and represent the department regarding substance use and mental health disorders to support the commitment to substance abuse prevention, treatment and recovery support services. The following responsibilities will include, but are not limited to, consultation to the Division of Substance Abuse Services and other divisions within the department related to substance use disorders, and provide technical assistance and consultation regarding Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) and other substance use disorders.

Principal Duties and Responsibilities

- Currently licensed by the Tennessee Board of Medical Examiners or eligible to become licensed within six (6) months of date of employment
- Specialty in Internal Medicine, Family Medicine, or Psychiatry (preferred). Other disciplines considered.
- Certification in addiction medicine (highly preferred)
- Knowledge of Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) model
- Ability to do research as well as publish scholarly articles
- Consultation provided to community agencies through education activities, while advancing departmental policies and practices
- Ability to influence and motivate others
- Public speaking
- Travel required.

TDMHSAS is an AA/EEO/ADA employer. Pre-employment Criminal Background checks are required.

Benefits

Benefits include: State Hybrid Pension Plan, 401K and 457 (Deferred Compensation), 11 paid Holidays, Annual, Bereavement, Military, Family Medical, Maternity, Sick Leave, Sick Leave Bank, Flexible Benefits. Insurance is available including Health, Dental, Life, and Vision.

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